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GLENDALE HOSTS FREE VEGETABLE GARDENING WORKSHOP OCTOBER 26

GLENDALE, Ariz. – Glendale's Conservation & Sustainable Living Program will hold a Vegetable Gardening Day on Saturday, Oct. 26, 11 a.m. – 2:30 p.m. at the Glendale Main Library, 5959 W. Brown St.

Residents can attend this workshop free of charge to learn how to grow their own vegetables, learn about container gardening and gain information about soils and composting. The schedule will be:

11 a.m. – 12 p.m. Vegetable Gardening

12:15 p.m. − 1:15 p.m. **Container Gardening**

1:30 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.Soils & Composting

Representatives from the Valley Permaculture Alliance (VPA) and Master Gardeners will be on hand to answer specific questions. In addition, the VPA will have their Seed Lending Library available for homeowners to learn about seed saving and opportunities for swapping seeds with others in the community. A composter, donated by Glendale's Recycling Division, and other garden-related door prizes will be raffled at 2:30 p.m., following the Soils & Composting Class.

The workshop is free, but registration is required. To register, call 623-930-3760 or email <u>bpatrick@glendaleaz.com</u>. Additional information is available online at <u>www.glendaleaz.com/green</u>.

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